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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Saenger et al.
 Serial No.: 10/666,564
 For: A CLOSED AIR GAP INTERCONNECT STRUCTURE
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Mail Stop Amendment
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO NON-COMPLIANT PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

We are enclosing correctly legend drawing sheets in advance of examination for the above-identified application.

Petition for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.137 is hereby made if, and to the extent, required. The fee for this extension of time is calculated to be \$_____ to extend the time for filing this response until _____.

The fee for any change in number of claims has been calculated as shown below.

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------|--------------------------------|---------------|--------------|-------|
| | Claims Remaining After Amendment | | Highest Number Previously Paid | Percent Extra | Rate | |
| Total Claims | 12 | Minus | 33 | 0 | x \$50.00 | \$ |
| Independent Claims | 7 | Minus | 10 | | x \$200.00 | \$ |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE | | | | | x \$360.00 = | \$ |
| TOTAL FEE FOR CLAIM CHANGES | | | | | | \$ |
| 1/2 FILING FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY | | | | | | \$N/A |

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| TOTAL FEE FOR CLAIM CHANGES | | | | | | \$ |
| 1/2 FILING FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY | | | | | | \$N/A |

The total fee for this amendment, including claim changes and any extension of time is calculated to be \$ 0.00 .

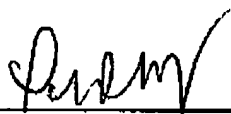
☒ Replacement drawings (3 sheets containing Figs. 2g, 2h, 3a, 3b, 4a and 4b);

☐ A check in the amount of \$ 0.00 is attached.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required with this communication or during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to **Deposit Account No. 50-0510**. A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed.

June 20, 2006

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CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING FACSIMILE TRANSMITTED TO THE FACSIMILE NUMBER 571-273-8300, 7 total pages, c/o MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450, ON June 20, 2006.

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DATE